Superior Court of Washington
County of

In re Parentage:	**No.**
Petitioner	**Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law on Rescission of Denial of Paternity Within 60 Days (FNFCL)**
and	
Respondent	
And	
Respondent.	

I. Basis for Findings

The findings are based on:

[ ] agreement of the parties.
[ ] an order of default entered on _____ [Date].
[ ] a hearing held on _____ [Date]. The following people attended:

    [ ] Mother   [ ] Mother's Attorney
    [ ] Acknowledged Father   [ ] Acknowledged Father's Attorney
    [ ] Presumed Father   [ ] Presumed Father's Attorney
    [ ] Guardian ad Litem   [ ] Other:

II. Findings of Fact

Upon the basis of the court record, the court *Finds*:

2.1 Notice and Basis of Personal Jurisdiction Over the Parties

All parties necessary to adjudicate the issues were served with a copy of the summons and petition and are subject to the jurisdiction of this court. At the commencement of this action, no other court hearing involving these parties and the child had taken place. The facts below establish personal jurisdiction over the parties:

[ ]   The **mother** signed an Acknowledgment of Paternity that was filed with the Washington State Registrar of Vital Statistics on _____ [Date].

[ ]   The **acknowledged father** signed an Acknowledgment of Paternity that was filed with the Washington State Registrar of Vital Statistics on _____ [Date].

[ ]   The **presumed father** signed a Denial of Paternity that was filed with the Washington State Registrar of Vital Statistics on _____ [Date].

[ ]   Other:

2.2   The Child Whose Paternity Is Affected in this Action

This action affects the paternity of _____ [Name] born on _____ [Date]. The result of this proceeding does not establish or disestablish the paternity of the presumed father; it will only establish whether the Denial of Paternity may be rescinded (withdrawn).

2.3   Paternity Action

[ ]   Does not apply.

[ ]   A paternity action has been filed.

[ ]   A paternity action has not been filed.

[ ]   _____ [Name] should be ordered to file a proceeding to adjudicate parentage in this cause.

2.4   Rescission Period

The effective date of the Acknowledgment of Paternity is _____ [Date] and this proceeding was begun [ ] more [ ] not more than 60 days from the effective date of the acknowledgment.

The effective date of the Denial of Paternity is _____ [Date] and this proceeding was begun [ ] more [ ] not more than 60 days from the effective date of the denial.

2.5   Child's Name

[ ]   There is not good cause to change the child's name.

[ ]   There is good cause to change the child's surname to _____.

2.6   Continuing Restraining Order

[ ]   Does not apply.

[ ]   A continuing restraining order against the [ ] father [ ] mother [ ] both parties is necessary because:

[ ]   Other:

2.7 Protection Order

[ ]   Does not apply.

[ ]   A domestic violence protection order protecting _____ [Name]
from _____ [Name] is necessary based upon declarations
in the file or attached.

     [ ]   If the duration of this order exceeds one year, the court finds that an order of one
year or less will be insufficient to prevent further acts of domestic violence.

2.8 Attorney Fees and Costs

Fees and costs in the amount of $_____ should be awarded to
_____ [Name] payable by _____ [Name].

III. Conclusions of Law

3.1 Jurisdiction

[ ]   The court has jurisdiction to enter an order in this matter.

[ ]   The court does not have jurisdiction to enter an order in this matter that was begun more
than 60 days from the effective date of the acknowledgment and denial of paternity.

3.2 Disposition

The court shall enter an order on rescission:

[ ]   Dismissing the petition because this proceeding to rescind the Denial of Paternity was not
timely begun.

[ ]   Granting the Petition for Rescission of Denial of Paternity and voiding the
Acknowledgment of Paternity.

[ ]   Denying the Petition Rescission of Denial of Paternity.

[ ]   Making provision for an amended birth certificate of the child.

[ ]   Making provision for a domestic violence protection order with an expiration date
of _____.

[ ]   Making provision for a continuing restraining order.

[ ]   Ordering _____ [Name] to begin a proceeding to adjudicate paternity.

[ ]   Ordering _____ [Name] to pay attorney fees and costs in the amount
of $_____payable to _____ [Name].

Dated: _____   _____

                                                        Judge/Commissioner

Presented by:

Approved for entry:
Notice of presentation waived:

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Signature of Party or Lawyer/WSBA No.

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